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ZAIRIAN OFFICIAL NEWS AGENCY SEPTEMBER 11 QUOTED PRESIDENT
MOBUTU AS COMMENTING AS FOLLOWS ON ZAIRIAN RELATIONS WITH
ISRAEL IN COURSE OF SEPTEMBER 9 INTERVIEW BY ALGERIAN PRESS.
MOBUTU RECALLED THAT IN PAST ISRAEL HAD HELPED HIS COUNTRY
AGAINST REBELS AT TIME SOME ARAB COUNTRIES WERE HELPING REBELS.
ISRAEL HAD HELPED STRENGTHEN ZAIRIAN ARMED FORCES AND TRAIN
ITS AIRBORNE DIVISION. THESE FACTS EXPLAIN WHY ZAIRE, DESPITE ITS
AFRICAN VOCATION, HAD BEEN SLOW IN MATTER OF STEPS FOR
RESOLVING MIDDLE EASTCRISIS."THANKS TO CONVERSATIONS WE HAVE
HAD HERE, EVERYONE HAS UNDERSTOOD OUR POSITION, AND WHAT HAS
BEEN DECIDED HERE WILL FURTHER CLARIFY OUR POSITION ON THIS
QUESTION. I CANNOT TELL YOU MORE TODAY."VANCE

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